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**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION**

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Re: Application of **Sergio CIRIO** entitled

**DEVICE FOR SCREWING A CAP ONTO THE NECK OF A BOTTLE OR  
SIMILAR CONTAINER**

Assignee: **AROL SPA**

Our Ref. **Q76842**

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above comprising 16 sheets of the specification, including the claims and abstract, 3 sheets of drawings, executed Assignment and PTO 1595 form, and executed Declaration and Power of Attorney.

**Please see attached preliminary amendment before calculating Government filing fee.**

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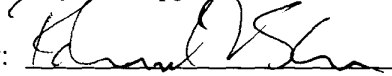
Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
ITALY	TO2002A000855	October 2, 2002

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